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## SIERRA LEONE.

*Report from Freetown—Quarantine no longer enforced against Gold Coast.*

Consul Yerby reports, September 10:

No new cases of plague have been reported at Akkra, or other places on the Gold Coast, since August 8, 1908, and quarantine is no longer enforced against vessels arriving in Sierra Leone ports from the Gold Coast.

## TRINIDAD.

*Fatal case of plague.*

The following information is received from the Department of State, under date of September 30:

A cablegram dated September 30, has been received from the American vice-consul at Trinidad, West Indies, which reads as follows: "One death, plague."

## FOREIGN AND INSULAR STATISTICAL REPORTS OF COUNTRIES AND CITIES—UNTABULATED.

AFRICA—*Zanzibar*.—Month of July, 1908. Estimated population, 75,000. Total number of deaths, 144, including smallpox 1, diphtheria 1, and 23 from tuberculosis.

*Sierra Leone—Freetown*.—Month of August, 1908. Estimated population, 40,000. Total number of deaths, 60. No deaths from contagious diseases reported.

AUSTRALIA—*New South Wales—Newcastle*.—Month of July, 1908. Estimated population, 51,450. Total number of deaths, 56, including enteric fever 1, and 3 from tuberculosis.

*Queensland—Brisbane*.—Month of July, 1908. Estimated population, 132,468. Total number of deaths, 154, including diphtheria 2, whooping cough 1, and tuberculosis 11.

AZORES—*St. Michaels*.—Month of July, 1908. Estimated population, 127,566. Total number of deaths, 349, including enteric fever 3, scarlet fever 1, whooping cough 1, and 1 from tuberculosis.

BRAZIL—*Sao Paulo, Santos, and Campinas*.—Week ended August 30, 1908. Estimated population, 300,000. Total number of deaths, 143, including measles 2, plague 1, smallpox 11, and 7 from tuberculosis.

COSTA RICA—*San Jose*.—Month of August, 1908. Estimated population, 26,682. Total number of deaths, 59, including 5 from tuberculosis.

CUBA—*Matanzas*.—Month of August, 1908. Estimated population, 35,515. Total number of deaths, 79, including enteric fever 1, diphtheria 1, and 22 from tuberculosis.

FRANCE—*Toulon*.—Month of August, 1908. Estimated population, 105,000. Total number of deaths, 148, including 3 from typhus fever.

GIBRALTAR.—Two weeks ended September 21, 1908. Estimated population, 36,830. Total number of deaths, 50.

GREAT BRITAIN—*England and Wales*.—The deaths registered in 76 great towns in England and Wales during the week ended September 12, 1908, correspond to an annual rate of 14.2 per 1,000 population which is estimated at 16,234,952.

*London*.—One thousand two hundred and twenty-one deaths were registered during the week, including measles 7, scarlet fever 6, diphtheria 12, enteric fever 6, whooping cough 13, and 173 from diarrhea. The deaths from all causes correspond to an annual rate of 13.3 per 1,000. In Greater London 1,722 deaths were registered. In the "outer ring" the deaths included 2 from diphtheria, 1 from measles, diarrhea 28, enteric fever 1, 2 from whooping cough, and 161 from tuberculosis.

*Salford*.—Two weeks ended September 12. Estimated population, 236,670. Total number of deaths 157, including diphtheria 2, scarlet fever 6, diarrhea 31, and whooping cough 2.

*Ireland*.—The average annual death rate represented by the deaths registered during the week ended September 12, 1908, in the 21 principal town districts of Ireland was 18.5 per 1,000 of the population, which is estimated at 1,131,959. The lowest rate was recorded in Lisburn, viz, 4.5, and the highest in Newry, viz, 46.2 per 1,000.

*Scotland*.—The deaths registered in 8 principal towns during the week ended September 12, 1908, correspond to an annual rate of 13.7 per 1,000 of the population, which is estimated at 1,839,038. The highest rate of mortality was recorded in Greenock, viz, 15.3, and the lowest in Aberdeen, viz, 8.8 per 1,000. The aggregate number of deaths registered from all causes was 484, including diphtheria 5, diarrhea 52, measles 4, scarlet fever 3, and 18 from whooping cough.

HAWAII—*Honolulu*.—Month of August, 1908. Census population, 39,306. Total number of deaths, 73, including diphtheria 1, and 16 from tuberculosis.

MALTA.—Week ended August 29, 1908. Estimated population, 206,690. Total number of deaths, 95, including whooping cough 1, and 7 from tuberculosis.

SPAIN—*Huelva*.—Month of August, 1908. Estimated population, 24,000. Total number of deaths, 52, including enteric fever 2, and measles 3.

*Seville*.—Month of August, 1908. Estimated population, 148,315. Total number of deaths, 353, including enteric fever 2, scarlet fever 2, diphtheria 4, whooping cough 1, and 83 from tuberculosis.

WEST INDIES—*St. Thomas*.—Two weeks ended September 18, 1908. Estimated population, 11,002. Total number of deaths, 11.